

Chapter 1

Interim Committees -- General Responsibilities

IR2-1-101 Interim committees -- General duties.

Each interim committee shall:

- (1) receive study assignments by resolution from the Legislature;
- (2) receive study assignments from the Legislative Management Committee;
- (3) investigate and study possibilities for improvement in government services within its subject area;
- (4) request and receive research reports from professional legislative staff pertaining to the committee's study agenda;
- (5) if useful, request, and if necessary, subpoena, testimony from government officials, private organizations, and members of the public on issues being studied by the committee;
- (6) make recommendations to the Legislature for legislative action; and
- (7) prepare and recommend legislation to the Legislature based upon the committee's studies.

IR2-1-102 Favorable recommendation of legislation to the Legislature.

- (1) An interim committee may not favorably recommend legislation to the Legislature that is not drafted when presented to the interim committee for the vote of the interim committee on recommending the legislation to the Legislature.
- (2) Notwithstanding Subsection (1), an interim committee may orally or in writing amend draft legislation that is presented to the interim committee with sufficient specificity that the interim committee knows how the legislation will read once the amendment is made before taking a final vote to recommend the legislation to the Legislature.